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BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 97-217-C - ORDER NO. 97-792
SEPTEMBER 12, 1997

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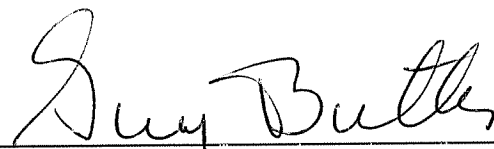
IN RE: Application for Approval of the)	ORDER
Amendment to the Interconnection)	APPROVING
Agreement between BellSouth Tele-)	AMENDMENT
communications and Interstate)	
Telephone Group)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the request of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and Interstate Telephone Group for approval of the amendment to the Interconnection agreement between the two companies to allow resale pursuant to Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the "Act").

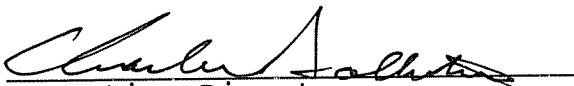
The Commission has examined this amendment and finds that it is consistent with the standards of Section 252 of the Act. We approve the amendment as filed since it is not discriminatory and is consistent with the public interest in that it promotes competition. We further hold, however, that the terms of the amendment are not to be considered as a precedential standard for other agreements, nor is it binding on any other carrier.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until
further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

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